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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, JO, UN
SUBJ: CALL BY JORDANIAN AMB

1. JORDANIAN PERMREP SHARAF CALLED ON AMB SCALI OCT 22 TO ASK ABOUT SHAPE OF PEACE SETTLEMENT ENVISAGED IN US-USSR SPONSORED RES (SC RES 338) AND MODALITIES FOR REACHING IT. SHARAF SAID AMMAN WAS WORRIED. SUPER POWERS HAD CLEARLY REACHED AGREEMENT ON MATTERS OF VITAL CONCERN TO JORDAN, BUT HAD LEFT IT OUT. FOR EXAMPLE, JORDAN WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHETHER UN WAS CONSIDERED "APPROPRIATE AUSPICES" FOR NEGOTIATIONS, WHAT ROLES OF US, USSR AND SC WOULD BE, WHETHER INTERMEDIARIES WERE CONTEMPLATED FOR NEGOTIATING PROCESS AND WHAT US POSITION WAS ON TERRITORIAL CHANGES.

2. SCALI SAID HE APPRECIATED JORDANIAN INTEREST IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT SETTLEMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. FOR PRESENT AT LEAST, HE WAS NOT IN POSITION EVEN TO SPECULATE ABOUT ISSUES WHICH SHARAF RAISED, THOUGH HE COULD ASSURE HIM US WAS WORKING FOR DURABLE SETTLEMENT THAT WOULD REMOVE UNDERLYING CAUSES OF CONFLICT.

3. CONCLUDING, SHARAF STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF UNITED ARAB POSITION IN ACHIEVING LASTING PEACE. HE NOTED DIFFICULT SITUATION IN WHICH JORDAN NOW FOUND ITSELF, HAVING ACCEPTED CONFIDENTIAL

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CEASEFIRE BUT JOINED ON BATTLEFIELD WITH TWO GOVERNMENTS THAT HAD NOT. SHARAF PLEDGED THAT JORDAN WOULD WORK TO BRING ABOUT REASONABLE COMMON POSITION AMONG ARABS, BUT EMPHASIZED AGAIN NEED TO BE KEPT INFORMED OF US INTENTIONS IN ORDER ACHIEVE

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